

## REMARKS

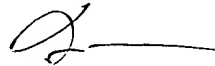
Applicants respectfully request consideration of the subject application as amended herein. This Amendment is submitted in response to a Notice of Allowance mailed on July 11, 2003. In this Amendment, a drawing has been amended to correct the reference numbers.

Authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any charges that may be due. Furthermore, if an extension is required, then Applicant hereby requests such an extension.

Respectfully submitted,  
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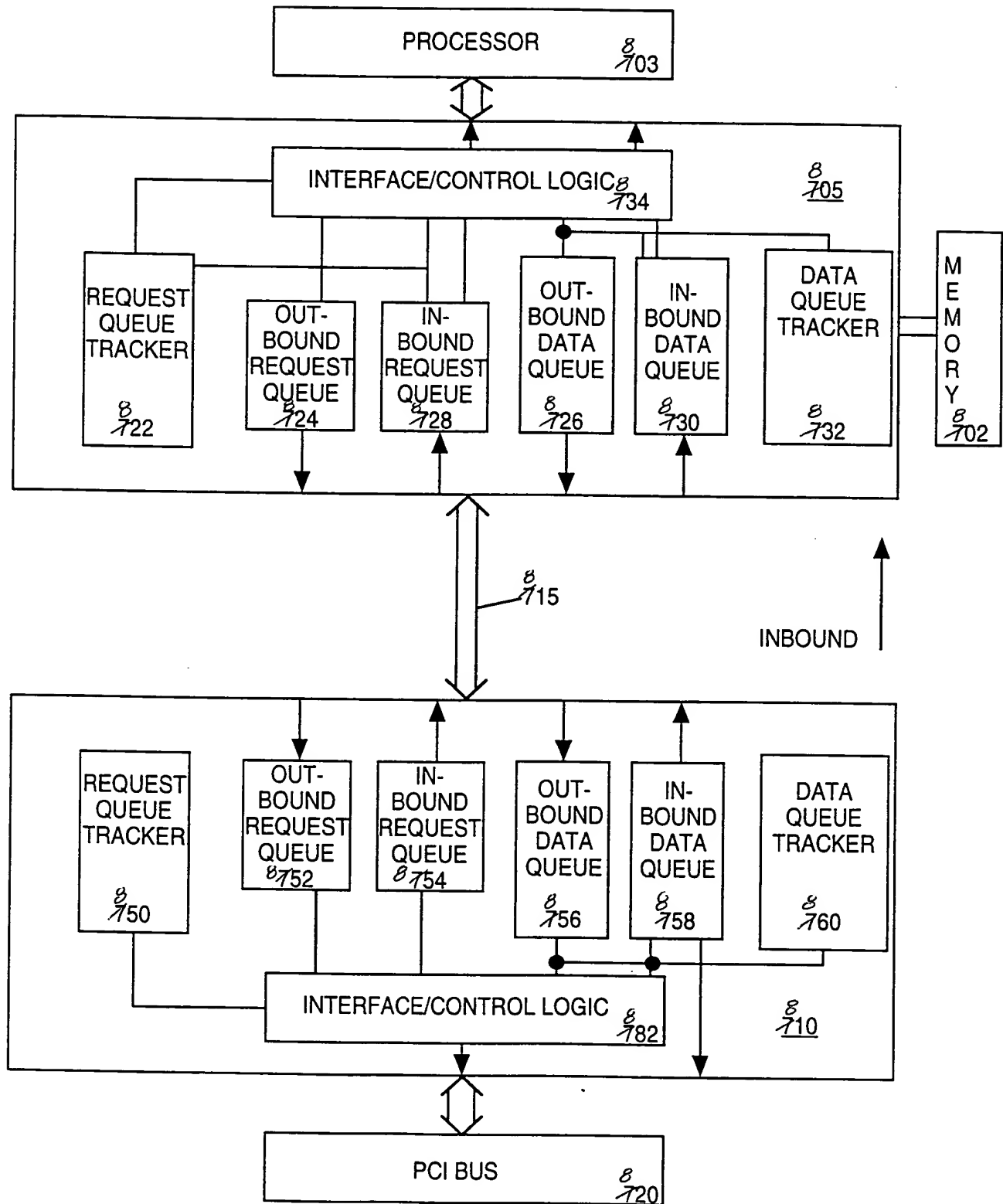


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